AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Original): A compound of formula

$$R_1$$
 X_2 X_1 X_2 X_3 X_4 X_2 X_3 X_4 X_2 X_3 X_4 X_4 X_5 X_5 X_6 X_7 X_8 X_8 X_9 X_9

wherein

 A_1 and A_2 independently of each other are a bond, C_1 - C_6 alkylene, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene or C_2 - C_6 alkynylene which are unsubstituted or substituted from one to six times by, each independently of the other(s), C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl or C_1 - C_3 haloalkyl; or a ring of formula

wherein the bonds indicated by --- denote the connections to the structural moieties W and T, or T and Q respectively, and Ru and Rv together are C₂-C₆alkylene;

 A_3 is C_1 - C_6 alkylene, C_2 - C_6 alkenylene or C_2 - C_6 alkynylene which are unsubstituted or substituted from one to six times by, each independently of the other(s), C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl or C_1 - C_3 haloalkyl;

W is O, NR₇, S, -C(=O)-O-, -O-C(=O)-, -O-C(=O)-NR₈-, -NR₈-C(=O)-O-, -NR₈C(=O)-NR₈-, -C(=O)-NH-NR₈- or -NR₈-NHC(=O)-;

T is a bond, O, NH, NR₇, S, SO, SO₂, -C(=O)-O-, -O-C(=O)-, -C(=O)-NR₈- or -NR₈-C(=O)-; or is a five- or six-membered, saturated or unsaturated ring, containing from one to three hetero atoms selected from O, S and N, which is unsubstituted or substituted by C_1 - C_6 alkyl and to which the adjacent groups A_1 and A_2 are bonded *via* carbon atoms of the ring;

Q is a bond, O, NR₇, S, SO or SO₂;

Y is O, NR₇, S, SO or SO₂;

 X_1 and X_2 are each independently of the other fluorine, chlorine, bromine or iodine;

 R_1 is halogen, CN, nitro, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 haloalkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, C_1 - C_6 haloalkoxy, C_2 - C_6 alkenyloxy, C_2 - C_6 alkoxy, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl or C_2 - C_6 haloalkenyloxy;

 R_2 and R_3 are each independently of the other H, halogen, CN, nitro, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 haloalkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_2 - C_6 haloalkenyl, C_2 - C_6 alkynyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, C_1 - C_6 alkenyloxy, C_2 - C_6 alkenyloxy, C_2 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl or C_2 - C_6 haloalkenyloxy; the substituents R_3 being independent of one another when m is 2;

 R_7 is H, -CHO, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_3 haloalkyl, C_1 - C_3 haloalkylcarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxyalkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxycarbonyl or C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl;

 R_8 is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_3 haloalkyl, C_1 - C_3 haloalkylcarbonyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxyalkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl, C_3 - C_8 cycloalkyl or benzyl;

m is 1 or 2; and

E is C₁-C₀alkyl, C₃-C₀cycloalkyl, C₁-C₀haloalkyl, aryl or saturated or unsaturated heterocyclyl;

the aryl and heterocyclyl rings being unsubstituted or, depending on the substitution possibilities, substituted from one to five times by, each independently of the other(s), halogen, NH₂, OH, CN, nitro, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 haloalkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkylcarbonyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl which is unsubstituted or substituted by halogen, CN or by benzoyl; C_2 - C_6 alkynyl, C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, C_1 - C_6 alkylthio, C_1 - C_6 haloalkoxy, C_1 - C_6 haloalkylthio, C_2 - C_6 alkenyloxy, C_2 - C_6 haloalkenyloxy, C_2 - C_6 haloalkenyloxy, C_1 - C_6 haloalkenyloxy, C_1 - C_6 haloalkenyloxy, C_1 - C_6 haloalkenyloxy, C_1 - C_6 haloalkyl, C_1 - $C_$

it being possible for the last-mentioned aryl, aryloxy, -O-CH₂-aryl, aminoaryl, heterocyclyl, heterocyclyloxy, -O-CH₂-heterocyclyl and aryl-C₁-C₆alkyl groups to be unsubstituted or substituted by from one to three substituents selected each independently of the other(s) from halogen, CN, nitro, C₁-C₆alkyl, C₁-C₆haloalkyl, C₁-C₆alkoxy, C₁-C₆alkylthio and C₁-C₆haloalkoxy;

$$R_9$$
 is -C(=NOR₁₀)-C₁-C₆alkyl; and

 R_{10} is H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_3 - C_6 cycloalkyl- C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl or C_2 - C_6 alkynyl;

and, where applicable, to possible E/Z isomers, mixtures of E/Z isomers and/or tautomers thereof, in each case in free form or in salt form,

with the proviso, that E is not pyrid-2-yl, which is substituted by CF_3 in the 4-position and unsubstituted or substituted by halogen in the 6-position, when A_3 is n-butylene or n-pentylene, W is oxygen, R_1 and R_2 are chlorine, m is 0, Y is oxygen, X_1 and X_2 are chlorine and A_1 , A_2 , T and Q are bonds.

- 2. (Original): A compound of formula (I) according to claim 1 in free form.
- 3. (Currently Amended): A compound of formula (I) according to either claim 1 or claim 2, wherein X_1 and X_2 are chlorine or bromine.
- 4. (Currently Amended): A compound of formula (I) according to $\frac{1}{2}$, wherein A₃ is -CH₂-.
- 5. (Currently Amended): A compound of formula (I) according to any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1, wherein W is oxygen.
- 6. (Currently Amended): A compound of formula (I) according to any one of claims 1 to 5 claim 1, wherein Q is a bond.
- 7. (Original): A pesticidal composition comprising as active ingredient at least one compound of formula (I) according to claim 1, in free form or in agrochemically usable salt form, and at least one adjuvant.
- 8. (Original): A method of controlling pests, which comprises applying a pesticidal composition as described in claim 7 to the pests or to the locus thereof.
- 9. (Canceled).